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C O N F I D E N T I A L ANKARA 1764

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, TU, UR
SUBJECT: VISIT OF TURKISH FONMIN TO SOVIET UNION

REF: ANKARA 1626

1. IN MEETING WITH EMBOFF MARCH 9, MFA DEPDIR EASTERN DEPT
SELCUK TARLAN MADE THE FOLLOWING COMMENTS ABOUT FONMIN
CAGLAYANGIL'S PLANNED VISIT TO SOVIET UNION (SU) MARCH 13-17.

A. CAGLAYANGIL, WHO IS FLYING TO TEHRAN MARCH 11 FOR RCD
MTG, WILL RETURN TO ANKARA MARCH 13 AND PROCEED TO MOSCOW A
FEW HOURS LATER.

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B. THE SUBSTANTIVE PORTION OF CAGLAYANGIL'S VISIT WILL
BEGIN MARCH 14 AND WILL LAST TWO DAYS. A THIRD DAY WILL BE
TAKEN UP BY A TOUR OF LENINGRAD.

C. TWO AGREEMENTS HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATED AND WILL BE
SIGNED DURING THE VISIT. ONE IS A TRADE AGREEMENT. THE
OTHER IS AN IMPLEMENTING AGREEMENT FOR PREVIOUSLY COMMITTED

SOVIET ASSISTANCE FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT. IN ADDITION, EFFORTS ARE STILL BEING MADE TO NEGOTIATE A CONSULAR AGREEMENT. HOWEVER, TARLAN WAS NOT OPTIMISTIC THAT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES -- WHICH PREVENTED AGREEMENT DURING KOSYGIN'S VISIT HERE IN 1975 -- COULD BE OVERCOME DURING THE VISIT.

D. THE "POLITICAL DOCUMENT" WILL NOT RPT NOT BE FORMALLY DISCUSSED DURING THE VISIT. TARLAN SAID GOT HAD ADVISED THE SOVIETS THAT IT WOULD NOT NEGOTIATE OR SIGN THE POLITICAL DOCUMENT DURING THE CAGLAYANGIL VISIT; HOWEVER, GOT EXPECTS SOVIETS WILL ATTEMPT TO OPEN DISCUSSIONS ON THE SUBJECT. ACCORDING TO TARLAN, THE TURKS HAVE NOT COMPLETED THEIR COUNTERDRAFT TO THE ONE THE SOVIETS PRESENTED THEM APPROXIMATELY NINE MONTHS AGO.

2. TURKISH PRESS MARCH 9 GAVE PROMINENT COVERAGE TO REPORT THAT RADIO MOSCOW HAD PREVIOUS DAY WELCOMED THE NEWS OF CAGLAYANGIL'S IMPENDING VISIT AND HAD SUGGESTED THAT MILITARY COOPERATION BETWEEN TURKEY AND THE SU WAS POSSIBLE. TARLAND DISMISSED THE RADIO MOSCOW COMMENTARY AS NONSENSICAL SOVIET PROPAGANDA.

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